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ATTENUATED MEASLES VIRUS

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the action dated January 14, 2003, finally rejecting claims 1-7, 9, 11-22, 24, 26, 28-33.

A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to extend the time to respond to the final rejection for 1 month(s) to and including May 14, 2003 is enclosed.

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